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| Inventors | : | Yasuhiro Omori | | |
| | : | Akihiro Matsuzaki | | |
| Title | : | MACHINE STRUCTURAL STEEL | | |
| | : | PRODUCT HAVING SUPERIOR | Confirmation No.: | 7406 |
| | : | FORMABILITY OF ROLL-FORMING, | | |
| | : | QUENCHING-CRACK RESISTANCE, | | |
| | : | AND TORSIONAL PROPERTIES, | | |
| | : | AND DRIVE SHAFT | | |

Date: October 18, 2007

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 25, 2007, the Applicants amend the Application as follows: